## Minutes

Regular City Council Meeting and Public Hearing on Ad Valorem Tax Rate for FY 2020-2021 Proposed Budget for FY 2020-2021 City Council Meeting

## CITY OF SIMONTON

Tuesday, September 15, 2020

This is a true and correct copy of the Minutes of the Regular City Council Meeting and Public Hearing on Ad Valorem Tax Rate for FY 2020-2021 Proposed Budget for FY 2020-2021 Meeting of the Simonton City Council held on Tuesday, September 15, 2020 at 6:30 PM.

1. Call to Order. Mayor Boudreaux called the meeting to order at 6:30 PM. A quorum was present:

Laurie Boudreaux and Ronnie Leonard at City Hall. Thomas McLemore, Stephan Sear, Stacey Gootee and Jake Davis by ZOOM.

Council Members absent: none

City Staff present: Erica Molina and Jennifer Ward via zoom

Public Present: Linlea Johnson and her grandmother. Mr and Mrs. Rocha

- 2. Invocation and Pledge led by Laurie Boudreaux
- 3. Public Comments
- 4. Consider and take action on the Consent Agenda:
  - a. Consider and take action to approve and accept minutes from Regular City Council Meeting on July 14, 2020
  - b. Consider and take action to approve and accept minutes from Regular City Council Meeting on August 18, 2020
  - c. Consider and take action to approve and accept minutes from the Special City Council Meeting on August 24, 2020

Open Public Hearing on the Ad Valorem Proposed Tax Rate **6:34pm**Take Public Comments on Ad Valorem Proposed Tax Rate **None**Close Public Hearing on the Ad Valorem Proposed Tax Rate **6:40pm**Open Public Hearing on Proposed Budget for FY 2020-2021 **6:43pm**Take Public Comments on Proposed Budget for FY 2020-2021 **none**Close Public Hearing for Proposed Budget for FY 2020-2021 **6:47pm** 

Motion by JAke davis to approve the Consent Agenda. Stacey Gootee seconded.

Ayes: All
Noes: None
Motion Passed

- 5. New Business
  - a. Present a Proclamation to Honor Childhood Cancer Awareness Day which is on September 22, 2020
  - b. Present a Proclamation to Anthonie's Market Grill Declaring September 15th, Anthonie's Market Grill Day in celebration of their contributions to the City of Simonton and their anniversary of four years in business.
  - c. Consider and take action to review Mr. Santos Rocha's request for a variance on our building ordinance.

Motion tabled for more information. seconded.

Ayes: All Noes: None Motion Passed

d. Consider and take action to adopt ordinance 2020-20 for the adoption of the new Ad Valorem tax rate of .22 per \$100 of valuation for FY 2020-2021.

Motion by Stacey Gootee to motion to adopt ordinance 2020-20 for the adoption of the new ad valorem rate of .22 per \$100 of valuation for FY 2020-2021. Jake Davis seconded.

Ayes: All Noes: None Motion Passed

e. Consider and take action to adopt proposed budget for FY 2020-2021

Motion by Stephan Sear to motion to adopt proposed budget for FY 2020-2021.

THomas McLemore seconded.

Ayes: All Noes: None Motion Passed

Respectfully submitted,

Mayor

City Secretary